

**Fill in this information to identify the case:**

United States Bankruptcy Court for the:

**NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS**Case number (if known): \_\_\_\_\_ Chapter **7**☐ Check if this is an amended filing

Official Form 205

**Involuntary Petition Against a Non-Individual****12/15**

Use this form to begin a bankruptcy case against a non-individual you allege to be a debtor subject to an involuntary case. If you want to begin a case against an individual, use the *Involuntary Petition Against an Individual* (Official Form 105). Be as complete and accurate as possible. If more space is needed, attach any additional sheets to this form. On the top of any additional pages, write debtor's name and case number (if known).

**Part 1: Identify the Chapter of the Bankruptcy Code Under Which Petition is Filed**

1. Chapter of the Bankruptcy Code

Check one:

☒ Chapter 7☐ Chapter 11**Part 2: Identify the Debtor**

2. Debtor's name

**Banner Resources LLC**

3. Other names you know the debtor has used in the last 8 years

Include any assumed, names, trade names, or doing business as names.

4. Debtor's federal Employer Identification Number (EIN)

☒ Unknown

EIN

5. Debtor's address

Principal place of business

**5151 Belt Line Road Suite 360**

Number Street

**Dallas**

City

**TX**

State

**75254**

ZIP Code

Mailing address, if different

**c/o Mark Ralston**

Number Street

**13155 Noel Rd Suite 700**

P.O. Box

**Dallas**

City

**TX 75240**

State ZIP Code

Location of principal assets, if different from principal place of business

**Tom Green County and Irion County**

Number Street

City

State ZIP Code

6. Debtor's website (URL)

Debtor **Banner Resources LLC** Case number (if known) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Name

7. **Type of debtor**
- ☒ Corporation (including Limited Liability Company (LLC) and Limited Liability Partnership (LLP))
- ☐ Partnership (excluding LLP)
- ☐ Other type of debtor. Specify: \_\_\_\_\_
8. **Type of debtor's business**
- Check one:*
- ☐ Health Care Business (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(27A))
- ☐ Single Asset Real Estate (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(51B))
- ☐ Railroad (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(44))
- ☐ Stockbroker (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(53A))
- ☐ Commodity Broker (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(6))
- ☐ Clearing Bank (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 781(3))
- ☒ None of the types of business listed.
- ☐ Unknown type of business.
9. **To the best of your knowledge, are any bankruptcy cases pending by or against any partner or affiliate of this debtor?**
- ☒ No
- ☐ Yes. Debtor \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_  
 District \_\_\_\_\_ Date filed \_\_\_\_\_ Case number, if known \_\_\_\_\_  
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### Part 3: Report About the Case

10. **Venue**
- Check one:*
- ☒ Over the last 180 days before the filing of this bankruptcy, the debtor had a domicile, principal place of business, or principal assets in this district longer than in any other district.
- ☐ A bankruptcy case concerning debtor's affiliates, general partner, or partnership is pending in this district.
11. **Allegations**
- Each petitioner is eligible to file this petition under 11 U.S.C. § 303(b).
- The debtor may be the subject of an involuntary case under 11 U.S.C. § 303(a).
- At least one box must be checked:*
- ☒ The debtor is generally not paying its debts as they become due, unless they are the subject of a bona fide dispute as to liability or amount.
- ☐ Within 120 days before the filing of this petition, a custodian, other than a trustee, receiver, or an agent appointed or authorized to take charge of less than substantially all of the property of the debtor for the purpose of enforcing a lien against such property, was appointed or took possession.
12. **Has there been a transfer of any claim against the debtor by or to any petitioner?**
- ☒ No
- ☐ Yes. Attach all documents that evidence the transfer and any statements required under Bankruptcy Rule 1003(a).

13. Each petitioner's claim	Name of petitioner	Nature of petitioner's claim	Amount of the claim above the value of any lien
	Bonsai Energy Partners, LLC	Loan - amount included is not the total amount and does not include interest of over \$2.8 million and attorneys fees.	\$16,351,856.43
	JDL Oilfield Tools Inc.	Trade Creditor	\$32,143.75
	Tri-Best Inc.	Trade Creditor	\$41,123.17

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<b>Wildcat Services LLC</b>	<b>Trade creditor - amount does not include interest and attorneys fees</b>	<b>\$95,256.00</b>
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Total of petitioners' claims **\$16,520,379.35**

If more space is needed to list petitioners, attach additional sheets. Write the alleged debtor's name and the case number, if known, at the top of each sheet. Following the format of this form, set out the information required in Parts 3 and 4 of the form for each additional petitioning creditor, the petitioner's claim, the petitioner's representative, and the petitioner's attorney. Include the statement under penalty of perjury set out in Part 4 of the form, followed by each additional petitioner's (or representative's) signature, along with the signature of the petitioner's attorney.

#### Part 4: Request for Relief

**WARNING** -- Bankruptcy fraud is a serious crime. Making a false statement in connection with a bankruptcy case can result in fines up to \$500,000 or imprisonment for up to 20 years. 18 U.S.C. §§ 152, 1341, 1519, and 3571.

Petitioners request that an order for relief be entered against the debtor under the chapter of 11 U.S.C. specified in this petition. If a petitioning creditor is a corporation, attach the corporate ownership statement required by Bankruptcy Rule 1010(b). If any petitioner is a foreign representative appointed in a foreign proceeding, attach a certified copy of the order of the court granting recognition.

I have examined the information in this document and have a reasonable belief that the information is true and correct.

#### Petitioners or Petitioners' Representative

##### Name and mailing address of petitioner

**Bonsai Energy Partners, LLC**

Name

**835 Ivy Wall Drive**

Number Street

**Houston**

**TX**

**77079**

City

State

ZIP Code

##### Name and mailing address of petitioner's representative, if any

**G. Jonathan Pina**

Name

**c/o Forshey & Prostok LLP**

Number Street

**Houston**

**TX**

**77056**

City

State

ZIP Code

#### Attorneys

**Deirdre Carey Brown**

Printed name

**Forshey & Prostok LLP**

Firm name, if any

**1990 Post Oak Blvd Suite 2400**

Number Street

**Houston**

**TX**

**77056**

City

State

ZIP Code

Contact phone **8323675722**

Email **dbrown@forsheyprostok.com**

Bar number **24049116**

State **TX**

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on **3/1/2021**  
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**X /s/ G. Jonathan Pina, Authorized Representative**

Signature of petitioner or representative, including representative's title

**X /s/ Deirdre Carey Brown**

Signature of attorney

Date signed **3/1/2021**  
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Debtor **Banner Resources LLC** Case number (if known) \_\_\_\_\_  
Name

**Name and mailing address of petitioner**

**JDL Oilfield Tools Inc.**

Name  
**c/o Jason Holifield**  
Number Street  
**San Angelo TX 76904**  
City State ZIP Code

Printed name  
Firm name, if any  
Number Street

**Name and mailing address of petitioner's representative, if any**

**Jason Holifield**

Name  
**101 Sallee Rd**  
Number Street  
**San Angelo TX 76904**  
City State ZIP Code

City State ZIP Code  
Contact phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Email \_\_\_\_\_  
Bar number \_\_\_\_\_  
State \_\_\_\_\_

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**X /s/ Jason Holifield**  
Signature of petitioner or representative, including representative's title

**X** \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of attorney  
Date signed \_\_\_\_\_  
MM / DD / YYYY

**Name and mailing address of petitioner**

**Tri-Best Inc.**

Name  
**c/o Charles Nichols**  
Number Street  
**San Angelo TX 76906**  
City State ZIP Code

Printed name  
Firm name, if any  
Number Street

**Name and mailing address of petitioner's representative, if any**

**Charles Nichols**

Name  
**PO Box 61323**  
Number Street  
**San Angelo TX 76906**  
City State ZIP Code

City State ZIP Code  
Contact phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Email \_\_\_\_\_  
Bar number \_\_\_\_\_  
State \_\_\_\_\_

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**X /s/ Charles Nichols**  
Signature of petitioner or representative, including representative's title

**X** \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of attorney  
Date signed \_\_\_\_\_  
MM / DD / YYYY

Debtor **Banner Resources LLC** Case number (if known) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Name

**Name and mailing address of petitioner**

**Wildcat Services LLC**

Name

**c/o JD Benton**

Number Street

**Midland TX 79701**  
 City State ZIP Code

**Name and mailing address of petitioner's representative, if any**

**Rick Taylor**

Name

**c/o French Benton PLLC**

Number Street

**Midland TX 79701**  
 City State ZIP Code

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

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**X /s/ Rick Taylor**

Signature of petitioner or representative, including representative's title

**JD Benton**

Printed name

**French Benton PLLC**

Firm name, if any

**415 W Wall Suite 1240**

Number Street TX 79701  
 Midland State ZIP Code

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Email **jd@frenchbenton.com**

Bar number **24097369**

State **Tx**

**X /s/ JD Benton**

Signature of attorney

Date signed **3/1/2021**  
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